CLEARY, WM.

My maternal grandmother was:

Margaret Louise Sheehan, born in Pennsylvania around 1846 on Christmas Day. At age eighteen she married George Hammerstein in Portsmouth, Ohio, shortly after he was mustered out of the Union Army. They went to Terre Haute, Indiana to make their home.

Their childred were:

Mayme, Alice, Charles, Robert (died in infancy) Lena, Margaret Louise and Clifford.

There were fourteen grandchildren, seven now living: Margaret Hammerstein Vonderhaar, Leona Routzahn Brinton, Richard Hammerstein, Frederick Hammerstein, John Cleary, Jr. Dorothy Cleary Yeager and William Cleary.

Grandmother's sister Katherine (Aunt Kas) lived and died in Washington, D. C. Another sister was an early Sister of the Good Sheppherd, Sister Mary Madga. She died on February 29, 1928, active and black haired to the end, was buried from St. Joseph Church, in Terre Haute.